

FISCAL NOTE

SB 429 - HB 1525

March 22, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Expands areas of airport in which unauthorized entry is an offense specifically to include air operations areas and sterile areas.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$1,300/ Incarceration*

Increase Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant

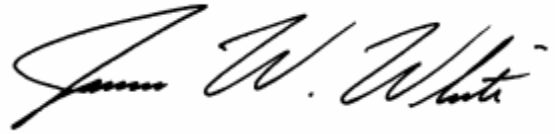
Assumptions:

- One additional Class E felony every five years with 0.3 years time served (109.58 days). The annualized time served per conviction is 21.92 days (0.20 annual number of convictions x 109.58 days served). According to the Department of Correction, the average operating cost per inmate per day for calendar year 2007 is \$60.16. The annualized cost per conviction is \$1,318.71 (0.20 x 109.58 x \$60.16).
- No significant incarceration cost increase will occur due to population growth in this period.
- According to the Administrative Office of the Courts, there was only one felony conviction under this statute for the past ten years.
- There will not be a sufficient additional number of prosecutions for local governments to experience any significant increase in revenues or expenses.

**Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-4-210, requires that: For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law. The amount appropriated from recurring revenues shall be based upon the highest cost of the next 10 years.*

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James W. White". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "J" and "W".

James W. White, Executive Director